# Oregon LNG Project Warrenton, Oregon

**Presentation to** 

**California Energy Commission** 

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# Oregon LNG Team

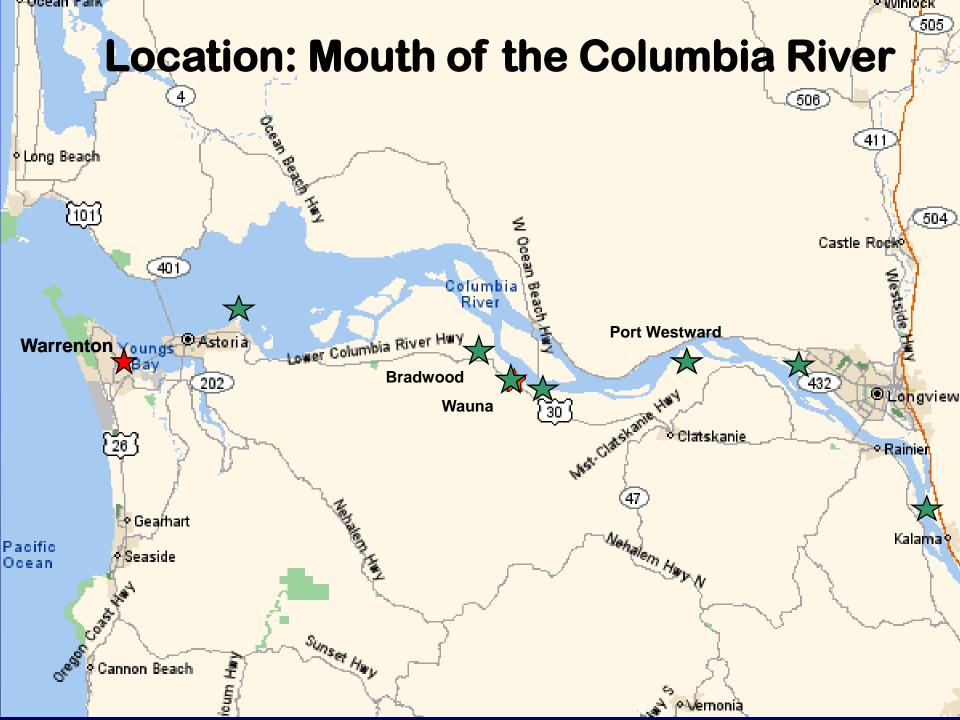
- LNG Development Company Development
- Leucadia National Corporation Funding
- King & Spalding FERC Counsel
- CH2MHill Environmental Consultant
- CH2MHill Pipeline and Marine Engineering
- CH-IV LNG Engineering
- Universal Field Services Land Services
- HPA Halcrow WSA Consultant

### **Project Summary**

- Capacity: 1 BCF/day, Peak 1.5 BCF/day
- •Tanks: 3 x 160,000 m3 Full Containment,
- Heat Source: Ambient Air + Boilers
- Channel Depth: 43 ft. Existing (+8 ft. Tidal Bulge)
- Channel Width: 600 ft. Existing
- •Berth: 260,000+ m3 Vessels
- •573,000 m3 Dredging Req'd. for Turning Basin
- •117.25 Mile to Oregon Pipeline Hub at Molalla, Oregon
- Connection to Williams NW and Palomar/GTN Pipelines
- •65-Year Site Lease in Place for 96-Acre Site

# Pipeline Engineering Details

- 117.25 Miles from Warrenton to Molalla
- 36 Inch Outer Diameter Welded Steel
- Wall Thickness 0.57" 0.75" Coated
- River Crossings: Horizontal Directional Drilling
- 48 Miles in Existing Power/Pipeline Corridors
- Mostly Avoids Congested Areas



#### PNW Pipelines



# Proposed Oregon LNG Project



#### History - Site Selection

# Primary Siting Criteria:

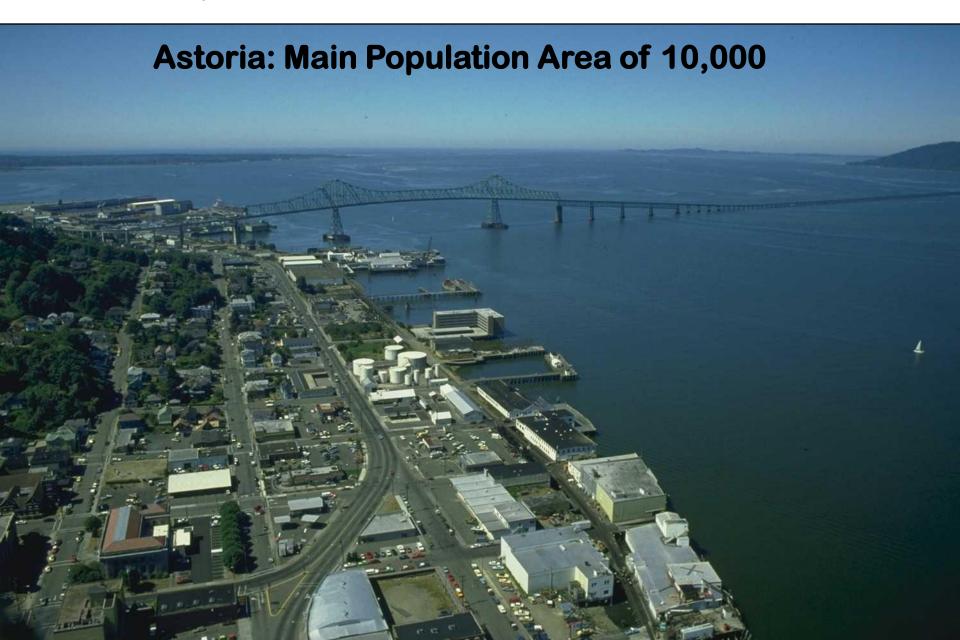
- Minimal Navigation Security Risk
- Minimal Environmental Impact
- Suitable Zoning in Place or Available
- Local Support

## History - Site Selection

# Secondary Siting Criteria:

- Berth Distance to People: (1600 m)
- Berth Distance to Channel: (500 m)
- Good Access (Channel Depth, Width)
- Minimal Dredging Requirements
- Minimal Visual Impacts

#### Why at the Mouth of the River?



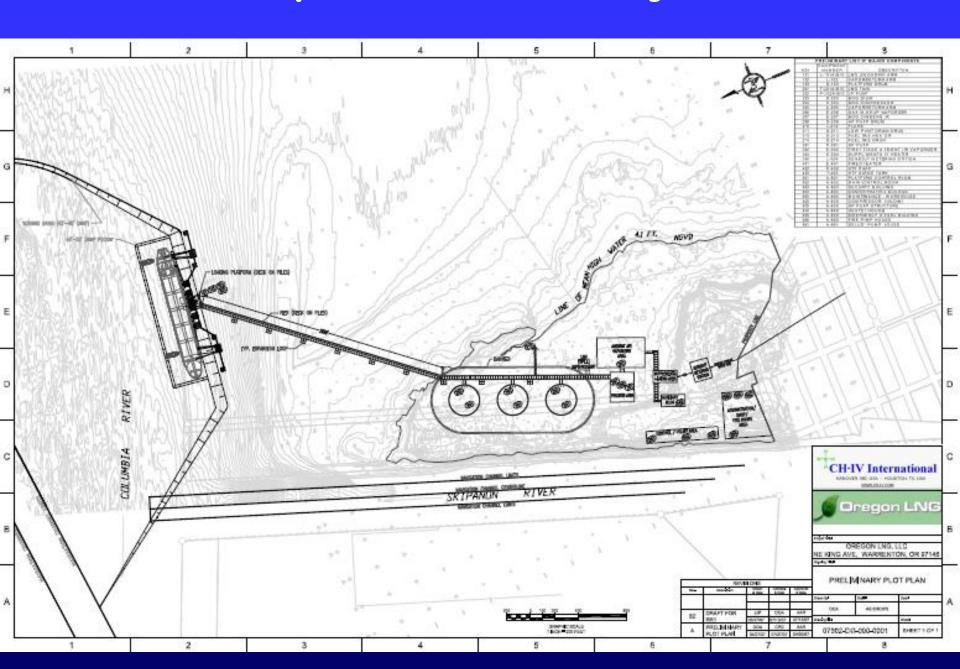
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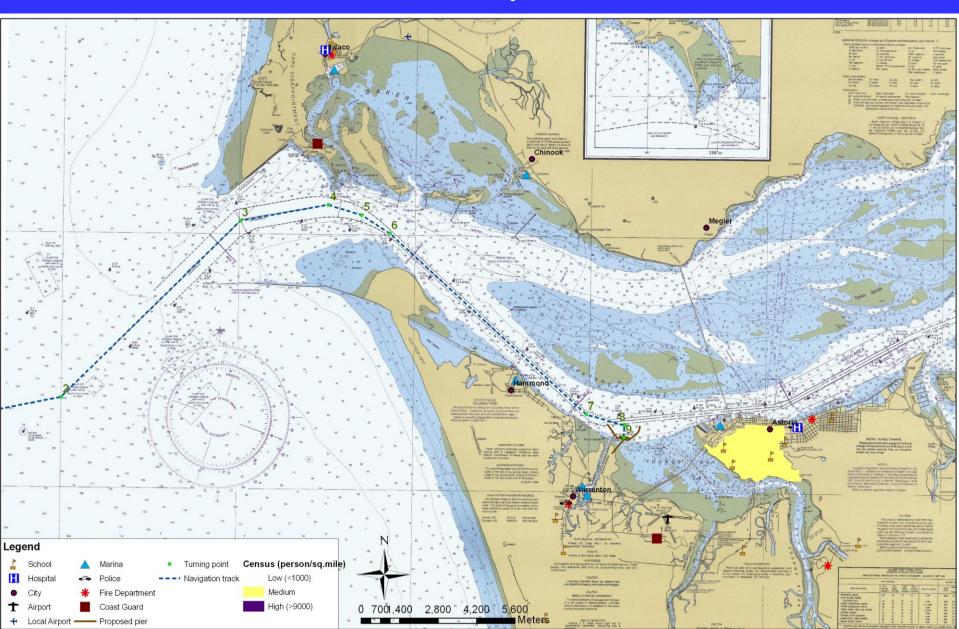
# Project Site - 96 Acres



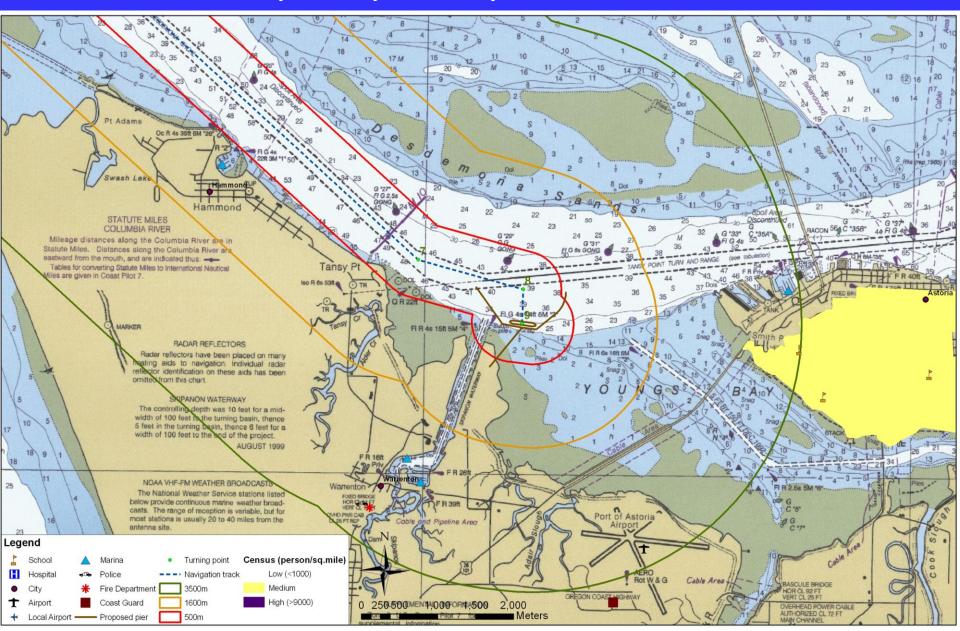
#### **Proposed Terminal Layout**



#### **Tanker Route to Skipanon Peninsula**



#### Tanker Route; 500, 1600, and 3500 Meter Zones



# Oregon LNG – Minimal Impact on the River



- Mouth of River Short Transit Time
- Tankers Will Be Supported By Tugs
- U.S. Coast Guard Escort Like Cruise Ships
- Security Zones Established by USCG
- Transit at Night During Buoy 10 Season

# History: Permitting Strategy

- Focus: Maintain Local/State/Federal Consensus
- Guiding Principles:
  - Keep it Local and Low-Key
  - Respect Oregon Tradition for Process
  - Work with State Agencies
- First: Local Land Use Process
- Next: Oregon State Process As Required
- Then: FERC/USCG Permitting Process

### History - Local Permitting Process

- Oregon Local Land Use Process
  - Very Public, Political Process (Often Brutal)
  - Test of Community Relations
  - Project Support Tested Through Local Elections

#### Required Processes:

- Annexation Single Jurisdiction (Complete)
- Code Interpretation (Complete)
- Re-zoning (Complete, 3<sup>rd</sup> Vote on 1/24/06)
- Land Use Board Of Appeals Process Complete 6/06
- Oregon Court of Appeals Process Complete 10/06
- No Appeal to Oregon Supreme Court

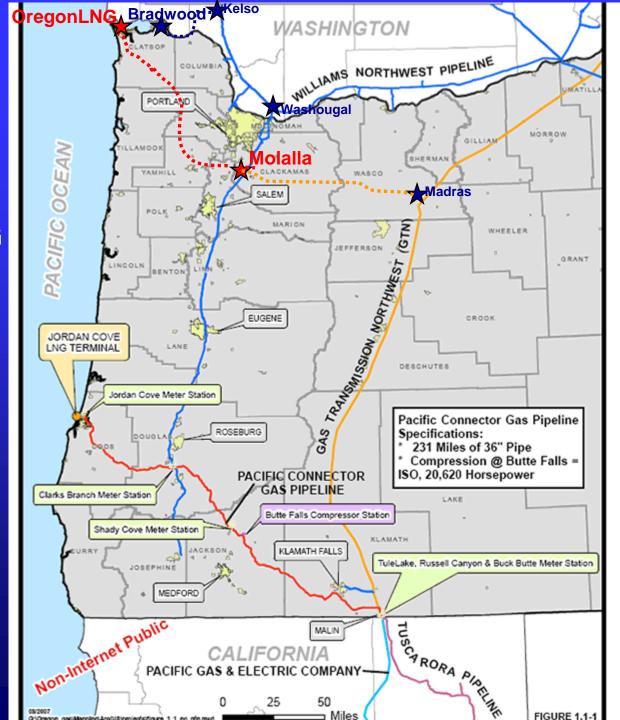
## Remaining Project Issues

- FERC License Project Meets All Standards
- USCG Approval Project Meets All Standards
- CZMA Conformance Based on Correct Zoning
- Air Contaminant Discharge Permit Minor Source
- 401 Permit Man Made Site Minor Impacts
- Are There Too Many Projects in Oregon??

#### **Conclusion:**

The Pipelines to CA WILL Be Kept Full!

Proposed LNG
Receiving
Terminals and
Connecting
Pipelines in
Oregon



#### **View from Astoria West Hills**

